

**Resolution approving a contract with the Columbus Police Department, to participate on the 2008-2009 Countywide DUI Task Force (Sheriff)**

**WHEREAS**, the mission of the Franklin County Sheriff's Office in part is to protect the lives and property of the citizens of Franklin County, to preserve the peace, and to prevent crime and disorder while constantly guarding personal liberties as prescribed by law; and

**WHEREAS**, to accomplish this mission, it is a goal of the Sheriff's Office to develop a strong, close working relationship with the Franklin County community; and

**WHEREAS**, on October 14, 2008, the Commissioners approved resolution 875-08 allowing the Franklin County Sheriff's Office to continue as the lead agency/administrator for the Countywide DUI Task Force to help reduce alcohol related traffic accidents; and

**WHEREAS**, the Countywide DUI Task Force is paid through a grant offered by the Ohio Department of Public Safety, Governor's Highway Safety Office; and

**WHEREAS**, with the same resolution, the Commissioners also approved contracts required by the state, with other law enforcement agencies that will be involved in the Countywide DUI Task Force; and

**WHEREAS**, since the passage of resolution 875-08, one more entity has submitted a contract to join the Countywide DUI Task Force bringing the total 2008-2009 task force membership to 26; and

**WHEREAS**, the law enforcement agencies of the following entities desire to be involved in the Countywide DUI Task Force:

- 1) Columbus Police Department

**WHEREAS**, the contracts shall be in full force until September 30, 2009 and shall not exceed the total allowable grant expenditures; and

**WHEREAS**, the Franklin County Sheriff's Office recognizes that the Franklin County Commissioners continue to support its current efforts, and requests further support of the Countywide DUI Task Force; and

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**WHEREAS**, the Franklin County Sheriff's Office recommends that the Franklin County Commissioners approve the attached contract of the participating agency in the Countywide DUI Task Force paid through a grant offered by the Ohio Department of Public Safety, Governor's Highway Safety Office and administered by the Franklin County Sheriff's Office

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO:

- 1) That the attached Countywide DUI Task Force contract is hereby approved.

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cc: Auditor, Fiscal & Administration  
Sheriff, Department of Finance  
Ohio Department of Public Safety, Governor's Highway Safety Office